Subject: Support of SB333

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As a Tea Party organizer, I support freedom and liberty above all. However, from time to time some items must be regulated, such as pseudo-ephedrines. In that case it makes sense to make the regulation effective and as non disruptive to the majority of citizens who are aw abiding and should not be punished for the sins of others.

I ask that you to support SB 333 introduced by Sen. John Proos. The electronic tracking that the bill proposes is the only real-time, stop sale solution that also maintains consumer access to safe and effective cold and allergy medicines containing PSE without a doctors prescription.

In addition, e-tracking has a proven record and

blocks thousands of attempted purchases without taking away a patient's freedom. Sixteen states have adopted similar legislation and in the eight states where the system has been working long enough to track sales, 126,000 gram of illegal pseudo-ephedrine sales are blocked every month.

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